

its own laws; and that when a person, who is charged in any State with the commission of an act, which, by the laws of that State, is felonious or criminal, absconds from justice, and flies to another State, it is the duty of the authorities of that State to surrender him for trial, on the demand of the State where the offence was committed.

Resolved, That if a negro slave be stolen in any State, and carried to another State, the owner may demand the slave as his property, and the State in which the act is committed may demand the person committing it, as a fugitive from justice; and it is the duty of the State, on which the demand may be made, to surrender such person for trial.

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be requested to cause a copy of this report and resolutions to be transmitted to the Governors of the several States.

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

Said resolutions were amended, by inserting after the word "resolved," the word "unanimously."

The question then recurred and was put upon concurring in the report of the committee, and assenting to the resolutions therein contained; and

Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Jones, of Somerset,

666 copies of said report was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Dalrymple, chairman of the committee on insolvency, reported a bill, entitled an act for the relief of Walter B. Kemp, of Frederick county;

Also, made a favorable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled a supplement to the insolvent laws;

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Morton, from the committee on divorces, made a favorable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled an act to divorce Jesse Updegrove, of Cecil county, from his wife, Lucy Updegrove; and

Mr. Weems, from the committee on corporations, made a favorable report upon the bill from the senate, entitled an act relative to the banking institutions of the State of Maryland;

Which were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table;

On motion of Mr. E. A. Lynch,

The house resumed the consideration of the order of the day, being the bill reported by him entitled an act for the completion of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to Cumberland;

The question before the house being upon the amendment proposed by Mr. Le Grand, on yesterday, to strike out in the 7th line, in the second section, the words "current in this State," and inserting in lie thereof the words, "receivable by the banks of Baltimore, at their par value," and the substitute offered for said amendment by Mr. Tuck;